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Atlanta, Georgia 30334

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**TO: Senate Study Committee Members - Consumer and Provider Protection Act – SR 561:**

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**FROM: Senator Dean Burke, 11<sup>th</sup>, Chairman**  
**Consumer and Provider Protection Act Senate Study Committee**

**DATE: November 4, 2015**

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The third meeting of the Consumer and Provider Protection Act Senate Study Committee (SR 561) will be held on Monday, November 9, 2015, from 9 a.m. – noon, in CAP 450.

Meeting 3 – Atlanta, Nov. 9 – Area of Focus: Network Adequacy and Provider Directories

- Summary of previous meetings - Chair
- Summary of today's focus - Chair
- Committee discussion – 5 minutes each member
- Insurance industry overview - 15 minutes
- OCI overview – 15 minutes
  - Tom Carswell, Assistant Director for Insurance Product Review
- GDA overview - 15 minutes
- MAG overview - 15 minutes
  - Dr. Chris Wixon – Vascular Surgeon from Savannah, GA
- Public testimony
  - Claire McAndrew – Families U.S.A. – provider directories and network advocacy
  - Meredith Gonsahn – Georgians for a Healthy Future – NA and NAIC Report
- Summary of Network Adequacy - Chair and committee members
- Summary of committee status and overview of reporting committee findings - Chair

Note: The agenda and order of presentation is subject to change at the Chair's discretion.

cc: Honorable Casey Cagle, Lt. Governor  
Alex Azarian, Policy Analyst, Senate Research Office  
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